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Kensington, January 11.

THE following Addreſs from the Borough of *St. Ives*, was preſented to His Majeſty by his Grace the Duke of *Bolton*.

To the King's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

WE *Your Majeſties Faithful and Obedient Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgeſſes, and Inhabitants of Your Ancient Borough of* St. Ives *in the County of* Cornwall, *humbly beg leave heartily to Congratulate Your Majeſties Safe and Happy Return into Your Kingdoms, being delivered from ſo many apparent Dangers to which Your Sacred Perſon hath been ſo often expoſed, in Your moſt Noble Atchievements, for which we Bleſs the Almighty God Your Preſerver, and for that Honourable Peace Your Majeſty hath brought along with You into Your Kingdoms: You have been a Glorious Defender of the Chriſtian Faith, having Reſcued and Delivered us from the Jaws of Popery and Tyranny: We beg Leave to offer our repeated Aſſurances of an Inviolable Fidelity to Your Sacred Perſon, Adherence to Your Undoubted Title, and ſincere Affection to Your Government.*

We ſhall inceſſantly continue our devouteſt Prayers, that Heaven may bleſs us with Your Majeſties long and happy Reign over us; and that while Your Happy People are Inriched by Peace and Trade, they may ſtill remember the Author of them both, and always pay that juſt Tribute of Loyalty and Fidelity that is due unto Your moſt Sacred Majeſty, the Beſt of Princes. In Teſtimony whereof we have hereunto affixed our Common Seal this Fifteenth day of December, *in the Ninth Year of Your Majeſties Reign,* Anno Dom. 1697.

The following Addreſs from the County of *Bedford*, was preſented to His Majeſty by the Right Honourable *Edward* Lord *Ruſſell*, and *William Duncomb* Eſq; their Repreſentatives in Parliament.

The Humble Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant, *Cuſtos Rotulorum*, High Sheriff, Deputy Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, Clergy and Gentlemen of the County of *Bedford*.

Dread SIR,

YOur Majeſty having ſo often and readily expoſed Your Sacred Perſon to ſo many eminent Hazards both by Sea and Land, for the Preſervation of us, our Religion and Liberties, when we and they were in ſo great Danger; and having obtained for us an Honourable Peace through Your great Valour, and Prudent Management of Affairs.

We Your Majeſties moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects do, as in Gratitude bound, ſincerely Congratulate Your Majeſties Safe Return to us, which we eſteem as the greateſt Mercy, and do all unanimouſly Declare, that as we have freely Contributed to Your Majeſties Aſſiſtance in the Supplies granted for the Carrying on ſo Glorious an Undertaking, ſo ſhall we alſo moſt Chearfully ſhew our Zeal and Readineſs to Support Your Government, ſuitable to the Grandeur of ſo great a Sovereign; and do heartily Pray, that You may have a long, happy, and peaceable Reign over us.

The humble Addreſs from the Mayor, Deputy Recorder, Aldermen, Bayliffs and Burgeſſes, Gentlemen, and other Inhabitants of the Corporation of the Town of *Northampton*, was preſented to His Majeſty by Sir *Juſtinian Iſham* Baronet, and *Chriſtopher Montague* Eſq; their Repreſentatives in Parliament, introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Northampton*, their Recorder.

The humble Addreſs of the Bayliffs, Recorder, Burgeſſes, and other Inhabitants of the Borough of *Bridport* in the County of *Dorſet*, was preſented to His Majeſty by Sir *Stephen Evance* Kt. and *Nicholas Carey* Eſq; their Repreſentatives in Parliament.

The humble Addreſs of the Lieutenant-Governor, Lieutenant-Bayliff, Jurats and Clergy of the Iſle of *Guernſey*, ſent up by the Right Honourable the Lord *Hatton*, was preſented to His Majeſty by the Right Honourable Mr. Secretary *Vernon*.

All which Addreſſes His Majeſty received very Graciouſly.

Genoua, Dec. 29. N. S. Sir *Lambert Blackwell*, His Majeſty of *Great-Britain*'s Envoy Extraordinary to this Republick, arrived here the 24th Inſtant, and in few days will have Audience of this Duke and Senate.

Venice, Jan. 3. His Excellency the Earl of *Manchester* is gone to his Houſe, and has left Mr. *Stanyan*, Secretary of the Embaſſy, given notice to the Colledge of his arrival. The French Ambaſſador has notified to the Senate the Marriage of the Duke of *Burgundy* and the Princeſs of [illegible] the Imperial Secretary has [illegible] Queen Dowager of *Poland*. U[illegible] *Turkey*, that they are ma[illegible]t the next Campagne, and deſign eſpecially to [illegible] their Strength at Sea; We on our ſide uſe our beſt [illegible]ours, that our Sea Force may at leaſt be equal [illegible]its; and wiſh the Pope would aſſiſt us with M[illegible] inſtead of Galleys, which we have experienced not to be of any great uſe againſt the Turks.

Warſaw, Jan. 4. The King of *Poland* is expected to morrow at a place called *Gura*, about 5 miles from hence, and on the 6th he will make his publick Entry into this City, for which great Preparations are made. His Majeſty has left a Gariſon of 3000 Men in the Town and Caſtle of *Cracow*, and has given the Command of them to the Caſtellan of *Wodnitz*, and to the Sieur *Vitepsky* Staroſt of *Cracow*; Before his departure from that place, his Majeſty gave Audience to the Deputies of the Army, and as he received from them new Aſſurances of their Fidelity, ſo he promiſed them that particular Care ſhould be taken of the Payment of their Arrears. The Great Marſhal of *Poland*, the Great Treaſurer of *Lithuania*, the Biſhop of *Ploſko*, and other Perſons of Principal Quality, are gone from hence to meet the King; but the Primate keeps ſtill at *Lowitz*, and ſhews as yet no Intention of coming hither to wait upon his Majeſty. The Diſorders in the Province of *Samogitia* are not yet compoſed, but all poſſible Endeavours are uſed to eſtabliſh a perfect Quiet as well in *Lithuania* as in all parts of this Kingdom, before the meeting of the General Dyet, which is intended to be in the month of *March*.

Vienna,